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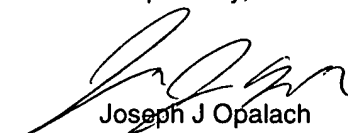
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Independent Claims	8 - 3 =	5	x \$78 =	\$390
Multiple Dependent Claims, if applicable			+ \$260 =	\$0
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